

Maryland State Archives Chronology of Events

December 3, 2014 - May 4, 2015

December 3, 2014: Emily Oland Squires hosted the Four Rivers Heritage Area Meeting at the Archives.

December 3, 2014: Reginald Shorter attended the IT Roadmap Conference.

December 8, 2014: Allison Seyler attended Final Presentations for a collaborative course with UMBC, "Service Learning in Public History," taught by Dr. Denise Meringolo.

December 8, 2014: Allison Rein gave a presentation on newspapers at the Archives to a group from University of Maryland College of Information Studies.

December 9, 2014: Maya Davis and Chris Haley attended a Harriet Tubman National Park Exhibit Review Team consolidation meeting.

December 11, 2014: Ryan Cox, Maya Davis, Chris Haley, Emily Huebner, Allison Seyler and Emily Oland Squires met with Dr. Michelle Zacks and Dr. Greg Farley of LOSIM Resources on the Chesapeake College Course "Environmental History of Slavery on the Eastern Shore".

December 11, 2014: Maria Day began work on a project to inventory gifts to the Office of Governor Martin O'Malley.

December 15, 2014: Maria Day met with members of the National Road Heritage Foundation regarding photographs for an upcoming anniversary exhibition.

December 16, 2014: Cecelia Smith attended an Agency Personnel Managers Group meeting.

December 16, 2014: Maya Davis and Chris Haley attended an opening reception for the exhibition "Honoring 1864 Lives & Legacy: One Maryland History" at the Wiley Bates Legacy Center.

December 18, 2014: Tim Baker attended the Council on Open Data.

December 18, 2014: Maya Davis and Chris Haley participated in a Harriet Tubman National Park Exhibit Review Team conference call.

December 18, 2014: Maya Davis and Chris Haley attended the Wiley H. Bates Board of Directors Dinner at the Bates Legacy Center.

January 5, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Chris Kintzel participated in the unveiling of the Harriet Tubman sculpture at Government House.

January 8, 2015: Tim Baker, Elaine Rice Bachmann and Chris Kintzel met with Tim Curry of the Baltimore Art Museum for a tour of the American Wing featuring art from the State's collection.

January 8, 2015: Vicki Lee attended the board meeting, reception and "Three-Ring Circus" lecture for the Washington Conservation Guild.

January 9, 2015: Tim Baker, Maria Day, Emily Oland Squires and Wei Yang met with Linda Thompkins-Baldwin from the Pratt Library regarding the Archives' participation in Digital Maryland.

January 13, 2015: Emily Oland Squires participated in a Maryland Heritage Area Authority webinar.

January 15, 2015: James Watson, Maria Day and V Joyce Phelps visited McCrone, Inc. to appraise a possible donation of private land survey records.

January 16, 2015: Christian Skipper visited Springfield Hospital Center to deliver images created by the Archives of DHMH records.

January 16, 2015: Emily Oland Squires met with the UMBC Oral Historians Group on Maryland Memories and gave them a tour of the Archives.

January 17-19, 2015: Emily Oland Squires, Chris Haley and Ryan Cox presented a three-day Teachers Workshop on "Maryland in the War of 1812".

January 18, 2015. Elaine Rice Bachmann met with Governor-elect Hogan and members of his staff regarding decor and Artistic Property in Government House and in the Governor's Office at the State House.

January 20, 2015: Cecelia Smith attended an Agency Personnel Managers Group meeting.

January 21, 2015: Tim Baker and Elaine Rice Bachmann attended the swearing-in ceremony for Governor Hogan and Lt. Governor Rutherford.

January 21, 2015: Allison Seyler and Maya David participated in an American Alliance of Museums webinar, "Successful Models for Museum Outreach".

January 23, 2015: Emily Oland Squires participated in a National Historical Publications and Records Commission (NHPRC) conference call.

January 23, 2015: Chris Haley participated in a planning meeting for the Annapolis Film Festival's Civil Rights panel and social media chat event.

January 26, 2015: Emily Oland Squires and Chris Haley hosted "What is an Archives?" program for two kindergarten classes from The Key School of Annapolis.

January 26, 2015: Timothy Baker and Elaine Rice Bachmann attended the swearing-In ceremony for Comptroller Peter Franchot.

January 26-30, 2015: Reginald Shorter and Marius Cauneac attended Server Virtualization with Windows Server Hyper-V and System Center training.

January 27, 2015: Legacy of Slavery Program Staff conducted a discussion of the *King* civil rights documentary.

January 27, 2015: Timothy Baker, Kevin Swanson and V Joyce Phelps met with Clerks of the Court to provide an update on the Archives' status.

January 27, 2015: Maria Day and Vicki Lee exhibited World War I-era flags for Maryland Defense Force historian, Chief Warrant Officer J. Eric Drummer.

January 28, 2015: Vicki Lee presented a lecture on "Disaster Recovery: Where I've Been and What I've Learned" to staff and visitors at the Brown Bag Lunch Series at the Archives.

January 29, 2015: Wei Yang and Nancy Sheads attended USMAI Image and Metadata Harvesting meeting for Digital Public Library of America.

January 30, 2015: Emily Oland Squires and Maya Davis discussed the development of grant opportunities with Dr. Michelle Zacks of Chesapeake College and Dr. Denise Meringolo of UMBC.

January 31, 2015: Allison Seyler presented "Using Historical Inquiry to Teach the Civil Rights Movement" at a Professional Development Workshop held by the Reginald F. Lewis Museum.

February 2, 2015: Emily Oland Squires participated in a conference call with Morgan Henderson, University of Michigan Department of Economics, to discuss how census records could be used in statistical studies.

February 2, 2015: Vicki Lee presented a lecture on “Protecting Your Family Treasures” at the South County Senior Center in Edgewater.

February 2, 2015: Emily Oland Squires attended a Four Rivers Heritage Area Summit meeting at the Bates Legacy Center.

February 2, 2015: Emily Oland Squires participated in OCLC’s Coalition to Advance Learning in Archives, Libraries, and Museums Project Management webinar “Key Elements to a Project Plan”.

February 2-6, 2015: Wei Yang attended Server Virtualization with Windows Server Hyper-V and System Center training.

February 7, 2015: Maya Davis attended the African American Historical and Genealogical Society Conference.

February 8, 2015: Chris Haley lectured on African American History at Mount Olive Church, Annapolis.

February 9, 2015: Maya Davis met with Kirsti Uunila, Historic Preservation Planner, Calvert County, regarding future research projects.

February 11, 2015: Chris Haley, Emily Huebner and Allison Seyler gave a presentation to the Chesapeake College Interdisciplinary course on “Environmental History of Slavery on the Eastern Shore.”

February 11-12, 2015: Andrew Baringer, Christian Skipper, Nate Miller and V Joyce Phelps attended Maryland courts training at the Judiciary Education & Conference Center.

February 12, 2015. Timothy Baker and Elaine Rice Bachmann met with Lt. Governor Rutherford and his staff regarding decor and Artistic Property in the Lt. Governor’s Office at the State House. Elaine Rice Bachmann met with First Lady Yumi Hogan regarding Artistic Property in Government House.

February 12, 2015: James Watson and Vicki Lee attended the webinar “Interactive Approaches for Learning Information/Communication Tools & Emergency Management Procedures.”

February 12, 2015: Wei Yang attended an Information Technology Advisory Council meeting.

February 13, 2015: Legacy of Slavery Program Staff conducted a discussion on the *King* civil rights documentary.

February 13, 2015: Chris Haley participated in the Annapolis Film Festival Civil Rights Panel Social Media online chat event to discuss the movie *Selma*.

February 16, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann met with Governor Hogan and members of his staff regarding decor in the Governor’s Office at the State House.

February 16, 2015 Elaine Rice Bachmann, Mimi Calver, Chris Kintzel and Michelle Fitzgerald attended the unveiling of the new exhibit case for George Washington’s resignation speech in the rotunda of the State House as part of the Maryland Senate’s annual celebration of Washington’s birthday. The Friends of the Maryland State Archives hosted a reception for donors in the Governor’s Reception Room prior to the event.

February 17, 2015: Cecelia Smith attended an Agency Personnel Managers Group meeting.

February 18, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachman and Mimi Calver attended a lecture on Washington’s Resignation presented by Harvey Flaumenhaft at St. John’s College.

February 19, 2015: Maya Davis gave a presentation at University of Maryland on the Study of the Legacy of Slavery.

February 19, 2015: Emily Oland Squires participated in OCLC's webinar "Coalition to Advance Learning in Archives, Libraries, and Museums Project Management: Evaluating Your Project Plan".

February 20, 2015: Allison Seyler attended NEH Regional Grant-Writing Workshop at UMBC.

February 20, 2015: V Joyce Phelps and Sheila Simms transferred records from the Governor's Legislative Office to the custody of the Archives.

February 22, 2015: Chris Haley spoke on slavery in Calvert County at the North Beach Town Hall.

February 23, 2015: Timothy Baker, Chris Haley and V Joyce Phelps visited the Banneker-Douglass storage facility to prepare for transfer of historic material.

February 23, 2014: MSA hosted a Mid-Atlantic Regional Archives Conference workshop "Introduction to Genealogy for the Unsuspecting Archivist" taught by Mary Mannix.

February 24, 2015: Emily Oland Squires attended a Civil Rights Education presentation at the Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts.

February 24, 2015: Jen Hafner and Christine Alvey hosted a talk by Mary Alice Baish, U.S. Superintendent of Documents, in conjunction with a meeting of the Law Library Association of Maryland.

February 24, 2015: Ryan Cox gave a presentation on "For the Record: Using Primary Sources to Study Tobacco, Labor, and the History of Slavery in Maryland" at the 2015 Winter Lecture Series at Historic London Town and Gardens.

February 25, 2015: At the Brown Bag Lunch and Learn, Jean Russo gave a presentation on "Finding Nace Butler".

February 26, 2015: Emily Oland Squires participated in an African American History Month Read-In Program with The Key School, Annapolis.

February 28, 2015: Maya Davis gave a presentation on Henry Highland Garnet at the Kent County Public Library.

February 28, 2015: Chris Haley gave remarks at a screening of *Kunta Kinteh Island: Coming Home Without Shackles* at the Seattle Art Museum.

March 2, 2015: Michael McCormick and Chris Schini presented an introduction to the Maryland State Archives to the South County Senior Center Genealogy Group.

March 2, 2015: V Joyce Phelps visited Montgomery County Records Center to prepare for the transfer of records into the custody of the Archives.

March 3, 2015: Megan Craynon attended "Maryland Day Growing A Little Greener" at Homestead Gardens.

March 4, 2015: Jennifer Hafner, Chris Haley and Emily Oland Squires participated in a "History of the Census" webinar sponsored by the Federal Depository Library.

March 4, 2015: Emily Oland Squires participated in a "Hidden Collections" webinar sponsored by the Mellon Foundation.

March 6, 2015: Timothy Baker and Elaine Rice Bachmann toured new State House exhibits and the Old Senate Chamber with Governor Hogan, Senate President Miller and Secretary Bassette.

March 9, 2015: Tim Baker, Elaine Rice Bachmann and Emily Oland Squires met with Delegate Sandy Rosenberg and Burt Kummerow regarding the history of lynchings in Maryland.

March 9, 2015: Maya Davis and Chris Haley attended a Harriet Tubman National Park Exhibit Review Team consolidation meeting.

March 10, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Mimi Calver attended a meeting of the Blue Ribbon Commission on the selection of the Maryland State Archivist.

March 10, 2015: Chris Kintzel and Michelle Fitzgerald presented a lecture on Washington's Resignation and the Old Senate Chamber to the Governor Robert Bowie Chapter of the DAR.

March 11, 2015: Emily Oland Squires presented information at The Key School concerning online education materials for the Founding of Maryland.

March 12, 2015: Wei Yang and Betsy Bodziak attended a Network Maryland Statewide Government Intranet (SwGI) meeting for domain name system issues.

March 13, 2015: V Joyce Phelps visited the Worcester County Circuit Court and the Register of Wills to prepare for transfer of records into the custody of the Archives.

March 15, 2015: Maya Davis gave a presentation on "Slavery and the War of 1812" at the Berwyn Heights Historic Commission monthly program.

March 16, 2015: Owen Lourie met with Dave Abrams, Anne Arundel County Executive's Office, about the commemoration of the 50th anniversary of Anne Arundel County charter.

March 16, 2015: Emily Oland Squires met with Lauren Silberman of Historic London Town regarding *Wild Women of Maryland* publication.

March 17, 2015: Timothy Baker, Kevin Swanson and V Joyce Phelps met with the Clerks of Court to discuss record transfer procedures.

March 17, 2015: The Conservation Department assisted the Mt. Vernon Conservancy and colleagues from the Walters Art Gallery with removal and assessment of items from the cornerstone of the Washington Battle Monument.

March 17, 2015: Cecelia Smith attended an Agency Personnel Managers Group meeting.

March 18, 2015: Christian Skipper and Corey Lewis presented "Imaging and Electronic File Maintenance" at the Brown Bag Lunch and Learn.

March 19, 2015: Vicki Lee attended a Cultural Resources Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee meeting at Annapolis City Hall.

March 19, 2015: Nassir Rezvan, Michael McCormick and Liz Coelho met with Chief Michael Wilson and Lt. Rebecca Labs, Department of General Services, regarding Maryland State Archives security.

March 19, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann attended the First Citizen awards at the Maryland State House.

March 19, 2015: James Watson met with representatives from the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission to discuss retention schedule creation.

March 20-21, 2015: Ryan Cox, Maya Davis, Michelle Fitzgerald, Jen Hafner, Chris Haley, Emily Huebner, Emily Oland Squires, Rachel Frazier, Christian Skipper and Allison Seyler hosted events for Four Rivers Heritage Annual Maryland Day Celebrations. The Archives was the recipient of the Four Rivers #MDselfie Best Overall Effort Award.

March 23, 2015: Chris Haley spoke about slavery in Calvert County at Northern Middle School.

March 23, 2015: Chris Haley met with Margaret Land, of Charles County Public Schools, regarding research and funding raising opportunities in Southern Maryland for the Legacy of Slavery program.

March 23, 2015: Wei Yang attended the Maryland Digital Government Summit Advisory meeting.

March 24, 2015: Wei Yang attended the Big Data and Advanced Analytics Using Microsoft Data Platform meeting.

March 24, 2015: Maria Day and Rob Schoeberlein received a donation of St. James Evangelical Lutheran Church historical records from congregation members.

March 25, 2015: Governor Hogan celebrated Maryland Day with the Archives staff, presenting Tim Baker with a Maryland Day Proclamation.

March 26, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Chris Kintzel led tours for the Severna Park Elementary School Fifth Grade.

March 27, 2015: Chris Haley spoke on a civil rights panel at the Annapolis Film Festival after the screening of the documentary *JFK/LBJ A Time For Greatness*.

March 28-30, 2015: Ryan Cox led a three-day Teachers Professional Development Workshop on the War of 1812, with lectures given by Owen Lourie, Maya Davis, Chris Kintzel and Michelle Fitzgerald.

March 28, 2015: Chris Kintzel attended the exhibit opening for "Rinehart's Studio: Rough Stone to Living Marble" at the Walter's Art Museum.

March 29, 2015: Chris Kintzel and Michelle Fitzgerald led tours of the State House for teachers from throughout the state who were attending a three-day workshop held at the Archives for MSDE-CPD Credits.

March 30, 2015: Liz Coelho presented a demonstration of the Maryland Land Records website to the Odenton Senior Genealogist Group.

March 30, 2015: V Joyce Phelps and James Watson visited Baltimore County Register of Wills to prepare for the transfer of records into the custody of the Archives.

March 31, 2015: V Joyce Phelps visited Frederick County Circuit Court, Garrett County Circuit Court and Garrett County Social Services to prepare for the transfer of records into the custody of the Archives.

March 31, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Mimi Calver attended a meeting of the Blue Ribbon Commission on the selection of the Maryland State Archivist.

March 31, 2015: Maya Davis and Chris Haley met with Ken Davis, National Parks Service, Harpers Ferry.

April 1, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann met with Robert Clark, President of Historic Annapolis, to discuss the "History of Annapolis in 99 Objects" exhibit.

April 1, 2015: Emily Huebner, Ryan Cox, Allison Seyler and Maya Davis attended the Wiley H. Bates Symposium and reception.

April 1 - 3, 2015: Vicki Lee attended the symposium "Don't Rock the Cradle," held at the Folger Shakespeare Library Conservation Lab, on creating exhibition cradles.

April 2, 2015: Liz Coelho presented a demonstration of the Maryland Land Records website to the Anne Arundel Genealogical Society.

April 2, 2015: Vicki Lee attended a Board Meeting and intern lectures at the Washington Conservation Guild.

April 6, 2015: Allison Rein and other MSA Staff hosted a National Digital Newspaper Project meeting for representatives from University of Maryland College Park Libraries.

April 8, 2015: Vicki Lee taught a class on Archival Conservation at St. Mary's College, St. Mary's City, as a part of their Introduction to Archives class.

April 9, 2015: Tim Baker, Kevin Swanson and Kathryn Baringer met with representatives from FamilySearch about a potential joint project.

April 14, 2015: James Watson attended a reception for Maryland History Day judges.

April 16, 2015: Vicki Lee attended Cultural Resources Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee meeting, Annapolis City Hall.

April 17, 2015: Nassir Rezvan attended an agency CFO discussion of FY 2015 and FY 2016 budgets at DBM led by Secretary Brinkley, Senator Neal and Marc Nicole.

April 18, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann provided a curatorial tour of the State House for the Alexandria Association.

April 18, 2015: Nate Miller organized and Chris Haley, Emily Oland Squires, Jen Hafner, Alex Jackson, Erna Henson, Joe Leizear and Ryan Cox assisted in the Archives' Genealogical Brick Wall Session.

April 20, 2015: Elaine Rice Bachmann provided a tour of the State House for Hoblitzell family members.

April 20, 2015: Michael McCormick presented an introduction to the Maryland State Archives to the Odenton Senior Genealogy Group.

April 21, 2015: Teresa Fawley and Cecelia Smith attended an Agency Personnel Managers Group meeting.

April 22, 2015: V Joyce Phelps presented "Introducing Our New Warehouse" at the Brown Bag Lunch and Learn.

April 25, 2015: Vicki Lee presented a lecture on Disaster Recovery to the National Capital Area Chapter of the Association of Professional Genealogist. (NCAC-APG) at the National Archives in Washington, DC.

April 27, 2015: Emily Huebner gave a presentation on Unionville at the annual meeting of the Underground Railroad Coalition of Delaware in Camden, Delaware.

April 27, 2015: The Maryland State Archives hosted the book launch reception for the Honorable Lynne A. Battaglia's book *Finding Justice*. Former Secretary of State Madeleine Albright was in attendance.

April 27, 2015: Nassir Rezvan attended a New Budget System Discussion Workshop presented by DBM at Spring Grove Center.

April 29 2015: Maryland State Archives was awarded a grant by the Coca-Cola Foundation, in cooperation with Keep America Beautiful, for ten permanent recycling bins, to be strategically placed throughout the building.

April 30, 2015: Chris Haley conducted a workshop for Four Rivers Heritage Area on the complexity of talking about slavery and race in the classroom and at heritage sites.

May 2, 2015: Michelle Fitzgerald, James Watson, Emily Oland Squires, Ryan Cox, Jessica Douglas, Joseph Uher and Rachel Frazier participated in Maryland History Day activities.